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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Katsuki MINAMINO  
 Serial No. : 09/723,512  
 For : VOICE RECOGNITION BASED ON A GROWTH STATE OF A ROBOT  
 Filed : November 28, 2000  
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Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional fee
Total claims	9	Minus	20 =	0 ×	\$18(9)	= \$0
Independent claims	3	Minus	3 =	0 ×	\$86(43)	= \$0
Total additional fee for this amendment						= \$0

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 \*\* If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.  
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This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$290 (\$145) has been previously paid  or is paid herewith .  
 This response is being filed within the month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor.  
 This is a petition to request a -month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.  
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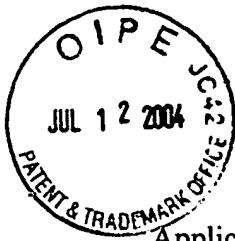
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AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 116

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action which issued April 13, 2004, please consider the following amendment to the above-referenced application.